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Doyle W. Argo
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1947
 Education: Oklahoma 1969 BA, 1976 JD
 Began Service: April 17, 1987
 Term Expires: April 16, 2011

Government: Assistant District Attorney, Office of the District Attorney, State of Oklahoma (1976-1979)

Judicial: Judge, Norman Municipal Court (1984-1987)

Legal Practice: General Counsel, Oklahoma Bar Association (1979-1981); Associate, Lisle & Durbin (1981-1983); Partner, Welch & Argo (1983-1985); Partner, Bailey, Welch, Argo & Lillard (1986-1987)

Military Service: United States Air Force (1969-1973); United States Air Force Reserve (1973-1997)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Cleveland County Bar Association; Federal Magistrates Judges Association; Oklahoma Bar Association; Oklahoma County Bar Association; Order of the Coif; Phi Delta Phi; William J. Holloway, Jr. American Inn of Court CV

Staff

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Bana Roberts
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1948
 Education: Oklahoma 1969 BA, 1977 JD
 Began Service: June 4, 1991
 Term Expires: June 3, 2007

Academic: Instructor, Legal Assistant Program, Oklahoma College of Law (1986-1988)

Government: Assistant General Counsel, Office of the General Counsel, United States Department of Human Services (1985-1988)

Judicial: Judge, Oklahoma District Court, Seventh Judicial District (1988-1991)

Legal Practice: Folliart, Mills & Niemeyer (1977-1980); Fenton Fenton Smith Reneau & Moon (1981-1983); Bradford Haswell & Jones (1983-1985)

Current Memberships: Oklahoma Bar Association; Oklahoma County Bar Association; Oklahoma Special Olympics, Board of Directors; William J. Holloway American Inn of Court

Staff

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Gary M. Purcell
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1950
 Education: Oklahoma 1973 BA; Oklahoma City 1975 JD
 Began Service: December 28, 1992
 Term Expires: December 27, 2008

Clerkships: Law Clerk, United States District Court (1976-1979)

Government: Legal Intern, Oklahoma Court of Criminal Appeals (1975)

Judicial: Special Judge, Oklahoma District Court (1979-1992)

Current Memberships: Cleveland County Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Oklahoma Bar Association; Oklahoma County Bar Association

Staff

Law Clerk **Janice Yeary** (405) 609-5260
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Valerie K. Couch
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1951
 Education: UCLA 1974 BA;
 Oklahoma 1978 MA, 1983 JD
 Began Service: March 1999
 Term Expires: March 2007



Legal Practice: Hartzog Conger & Cason (1983-1999)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Federal Magistrate Judges Association; Oklahoma Bar Association; Oklahoma County Bar Association; William J. Holloway, Jr. American Inn of Court

Staff

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Robert E. Bacharach
Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1959
 Education: Washington U (MO) 1985 JD
 Began Service: March 29, 1999
 Term Expires: March 29, 2007

Academic: Adjunct Professor, University of Oklahoma (1997-1999)

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable William J. Holloway, Jr., United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit (1985-1987)

Legal Practice: Crowe & Dunlevy (1987-1999)

Chambers of Magistrate Judge (part-time) Shon T. Erwin

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Shon T. Erwin

Magistrate Judge (part-time)

Date of Birth: 1961
 Education: Oral Roberts 1983 BA; Oklahoma 1986 JD
 Began Service: June 1, 1995

Affiliation: Partner, Godlove, Mayhall, Dzialo, Dutcher & Erwin, P.C.

Staff

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Ronald L. Howland

Magistrate Judge (recalled)

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Number of Judgeships: 3

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T. M. Weaver

Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1942
 Education: Oklahoma 1965 BBA, 1968 JD
 Began Service: June 30, 1998
 Term Expires: June 29, 2012

Legal Practice: Bonney, Weaver, Corley & Benefield (1968-1998)

Current Memberships: National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

Staff

Law Clerk **Kahla Hurley** (405) 609-5611
 Education: Oklahoma City 1989 JD

Chambers of Bankruptcy Judge Richard L. Bohanon

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Richard L. Bohanon

Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1935
 Education: Dartmouth 1957 AB; Oklahoma 1960 LLB; NYU 1963 LLM
 Began Service: May 13, 1982
 Term Expires: May 2014

Affiliation: Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Appellate Panel for the Tenth Circuit

Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable A. P. Murrah, United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit (1960-1961)

Legal Practice: Partner, Bohanon & Barth (1964-1979); Partner, Andrews, Davis, Legg, Bixler, Milsten & Murrah (1979-1982)

Current Memberships: American Inn of Court; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges; Oklahoma Bar Association; Oklahoma County Bar Association

Staff

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 Education: Oklahoma City 1999 JD
 Secretary **Susan Ray** (405) 609-5660
 Education: Central Oklahoma 1972 BA

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Niles L. Jackson

Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1941
 Education: Colgate 1964 BA; Oklahoma City 1975 JD
 Began Service: April 10, 2002
 Term Expires: April 10, 2016

Clerkships: Clerk, Oklahoma Court of Criminal Appeals (1977); Clerk, Oklahoma Supreme Court (1980-1984)

Judicial: Judge, Oklahoma State District Court (1984-2002)

Current Memberships: Ginsburg American Inn of Court; Oklahoma County Bar Association; Oklahoma State Bar Association; National Conference of Bankruptcy Judges

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